

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Patent Application of : Attorney Docket No.:
Hugh S. Munro *et al.* : **101713-5026**
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For: ABSORBENT MULTILAYER : Confirmation No.: 3197
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Dear Madam:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief after filing the Notice of Appeal on September 16, 2008, having a two-month period for filing expiring November 16, 2008, by five months to and including April 16, 2009.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. **50-0310** (Billing No. 101713-5026).

Respectfully submitted,

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